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SUBJ: VOLSPKR ROBERT PALME, DIRECTOR BARNARD COLLEGE LIBRARY

1. ROBERT PALMER, DIRECTOR BARNARD COLLEGE LIBRARY.

VOLSPKR, ICS/DA. "LIBRARY SERVICES FOR UNIVERSITIES".

2. QP-VG, ED-VG, AR-VG, RO-G.

3. MR. PALMER DESCRIBED TO 25 UNIVERSITY AND RESEARCH LIBRARIANS HOW THE BARNARD COLLEGE LIBRARY ATTEMPTS TO RELATE ITS SERVICES TO SPECIFIC COURSES IN THE CURRICULUM AND RESEARCH PROJECTS UNDERWAY. HIS PRESENTATION WAS THOUGHTFUL AND FLUENT, BUT WAS HAMPERED SOMEWHAT BY LITTLE KNOWLEDGE OF HOW BARNARD'S METHODOLOGY RELATED TO LIBRARY TECHNIQUES IN INDONESIA. DESPITE THIS, THE SUBJECT MATTER PROVED TO BE SO INTERSTING TO HIS LISTENERS THAT HE DISCUSSION PERIOD RAN OVER 1 1/2 HOURS. MR. PALMER SHOWED HIMSELF TO BE SYMPATHETIC TO INDONESIAN LIBRARY PROBLEMS, WHICH ARE STAGGERING AND GAVE HELPFUL ADVISE. MR. PALMER IS EASY TO WORK WITH AND IS GENUINELY INTERESTED IN ASSISTING LIBRARY DEVELOPMENT IN ASIA. ON HIS OWN INICIATIVE UNCLASSIFIED

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HE HAS SENT A NUMBER OF DONATED BOOK COLLECTIONS

TO LIBRARIES IN SOUTH ASIA, WHERE HE SERVED. WE  
HAVE SUGGESTED THAT MR. PALMER MAKE CONTACT WITH  
USIA'S CHIEF LIBRARIES DON HAURATH TO DISCUSS WAYS IN  
WHICH HIS EXPERIENCE AND INTEREST MIGHT BE FURTHER  
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